

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

Alex. H. Washburn

Senator McCarthy

Behaves When the

Big Dog Growls

Well, they finally slapped old Joe McCarthy down, and none too soon, for sure.

I hear a lot of slack-jawed ignoramus allowing out loud that while Joe's methods weren't so good they sure turned up a lot of "stuff." Well, old Joe's a disciple of that same police state which caused our ancestors to get out of Europe in by-gone days, and when they founded America they resolved to let nine guilty men go free rather than risk convicting an innocent one.

Joe McCarthy preaches a different gospel today. He figures that the Communist menace justifies putting police on the tail of every individual American, asking him where he was last night, how he voted, and who he knew back in college days.

Odd questions to ask of a free American — and particularly odd when coming from this pseudo judge-and-prosecutor-and-jury who after all is nothing but an elected senator, and not even from the same state as many of the people he jumps on with all the fervor of backwoods Justice of the peace. Which is what he is.

And so you read on this page yesterday that the long arm of the White House finally lashed out and knocked Senator Joe into a cocked hat.

Politics being what it is, President Eisenhower wasn't hankering to embroil his party in a feud with the Wisconsin dictator's supporters; but the President had to do something when McCarthy's chief investigator, J. B. Matthews, finally blew his top and came out with a magazine article describing "7,000 Protestant clergymen" as "the largest single group supporting the Communist apparatus" in America.

Of course it all depends on how you describe "Communism." There are some people who might call you a Communist because you denounced a lender for charging 10 per cent interest or criticized an employer who worked his labor seven days a week. Well, this is America, and free speech and press are everyone's guarantee, and not even the world spectre of Communism is going to cause us to change our way of life.

Now even Joe McCarthy knows the score.

Because the White House told him bluntly to get rid of his Mr. Matthews — and this the Big Man from Wisconsin did.

There's no hope of changing McCarthy, but I do think the people have finally awakened to the wrongness of the picture of any man running around shaking hands and soliciting votes during a campaign, and then the moment he is in federal office putting on a tin badge and pestering the citizenry with loud chirps, "Look, I'm a detective!"

He's a card. He's a clown. He's a stinker — but certainly he's not what you'd expect of a United States senator.

And I think you're going to find the press and public bearing down on old Joe with increasing pressure from now on.

Crop Report May Decide Controls

By OVID A. MARTIN

WASHINGTON (AP) — Farmers get some idea from an official crop production report today on whether there is a possibility that rigid federal controls will be imposed on next year's corn crop. Secretary of Agriculture Benson has already imposed marketing quotas on the 1954 wheat crop to keep top-heavy surpluses from getting larger. A planting report Wednesday indicated similar controls for next year's cotton crop.

The crop report, scheduled for issuance by the Agriculture Department this afternoon, will give the first official forecast of the year for corn and several other important crops.

Department officials said a 1953 corn crop in excess of 3,200,000,000 bushels might require under provisions of farm law, application of quotas on next year's corn crop. Supplementing the crop will be a large reserve of 800 million bushels from past crops. Last year's corn crop was 3,000,000,000 bushels.

Also due in the report were revised estimates for wheat, based on prospects as of July 1. A forecast of a month ago put the crop at 1,132,000,000 bushels which, added to reserves, would give a record supply of slightly more than 1700,000,000 bushels.

It was on the basis of the last forecast that Benson invoked wheat quotas. The crop would have to be trimmed at least 300 million bushels by bad weather, insects and other causes to permit withdrawal of next year's production controls.

Quotas have been applied to wheat and cotton in the past, but never to corn. They require approval of at least two-thirds of the growers voting in a referendum.

The Agriculture Department it self has about 850 million dollars

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Hope Star



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WEATHER FORECAST
Arkansas: Clear to partly cloudy

this afternoon, tonight and Saturday, with scattered thunderstorms. Not much change in temperatures.

Temperatures
High 83 Low 71

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3 Democrats Still Refuse McCarthy

By G. MILTON KELLY

WASHINGTON (AP) — Three Democratic senators stood fast today in their refusal to serve on Sen. McCarthy's investigations committee — a walkout decreed by a Republican member as a possible "magic formula to stop all the work of Congress."

At the same time, J. B. Mathews, whose ouster as committee staff director is at the heart of the dispute, said he can name 7,000 Protestant clergymen he contends form the biggest single group supporting the Communist apparatus in America.

Mathews told a reporter he has names of Catholic priests and Jewish rabbis too. But he said he didn't mention that in his American Mercury magazine article, because it dealt only with Protestants.

Chairman McCarthy (R-Wis) announced he will accept the resignations of all three Democrats — Symington of Missouri, McClellan of Arkansas and Henry Jackson of Washington.

But Sen. Mundt (R-SD) next in line for the chairmanship, said he hoped the Democrats "would reconsider their somewhat impulsive action."

Mundt declared:

"We can't stop them from quitting, but I would hope that in a calmer and more objective mood our Democratic friends would . . . return to their responsibilities as minority members."

If the precedent were set that they could stop the work of a committee by walking out, they would have found a magic formula to stop all the work of Congress."

McClellan, Symington and Jackson gave no indication of receding from their stand yesterday that McCarthy and his fellow Republicans had put them in "the impossible position of having responsibility without any voice, right or authority."

"The walkout came after the subcommittee, in strictly party line vote of 4 to 3, adopted a motion by Mundt which declared:

"The chairman of the subcommittee shall have the right to hire and dismiss employees of the subcommittee, and the chairman of the committee shall assign to the minority a member of the staff agreeable to him and to operate under his direction."

When the Democrats announced their resignation in protest, McCarthy said their action looked to him like "the old Democratic policy of either rule or ruin."

"If they don't want to take part in uncovering the graft and corruption of the old Truman-Acheson administration, they are, of course, entitled to refuse," he declared.

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Justus Delegate To Hot Springs

Ed and Ann Justus will leave Sunday for Hot Springs where Ed will be Master of Ceremonies at the regional meeting of the Arkansas Professional Photographer's Association. He is a delegate and a member of the board. Frederick DeVries of Slaton, Texas, and William Hughes of Little Rock will be speakers.

Quick Relief Asked for State Farmers

By HAROLD HART

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — State and federal government machinery is beginning to roll toward getting drought relief to 47 Arkansas counties.

The Arkansas Agricultural Mobilization Committee Thursday chose the counties to get the help.

Recent heavy rains in western two thirds of the state have all but broken the long drought, but agriculture officials are going ahead with relief plans because the money still is needed. A general rain can wipe out the effects of 53 days without rain.

Arkansas congressmen are pressing Secretary of Agriculture Benson to speed up the process for getting relief to farmers.

On the subject of cotton . . .

Cotton merchants are steadfast in their belief that stepped up exports of cotton is about the only avenue left for liquidating vast stores of surplus cotton. This cotton surplus tends to grow through the years because the domestic market simply won't absorb increased production.

Sen. McClellan has come up with what he calls his "aid by trade" program.

The senior Arkansas senator was successful in getting the Senate to accept his amendment to the Mutual Security Aid program.

In explaining the amendment, McClellan says the Appropriations Committee will earmark a portion of the 5 billion dollar MSA fund to give to a foreign country is that country agrees to purchase a surplus commodity such as corn, wheat or cotton.

Says McClellan:

"It is as though we were to say to them, if you want to buy more of our wheat, cotton, corn or whatever is in surplus, we will give you the dollars; you give us your currency. . . You buy commodities that are in surplus and we will take your currency and spend it in your country."

Such a program would go far in cutting down a cotton surplus in this country.

A rare disease which strikes cattle has Arkansas farmers concerned.

Dr. J. S. Campbell, state veterinarian, said about 150 head

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No Fish But Lots of Soup



Two Hope men, Hendrix Spragins and Andy Andrews went snag line fishing last week, caught no fish but snagged the ingredients for a lot of soup. The three loggerhead turtles were taken in one run. The largest measured nearly four feet from head to tail, 19 inches across and weighed 90 pounds. The smaller pair weighed between 40 and 50 pounds.

Newspaperman Rarely Looks For, Expects or Needs Public Sympathy

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — The ordinary newspaperman rarely looks for, expects, or needs public sympathy.

But at this moment I need a shoulder to cry on — and, if you've got two, I'll weep on both of them.

I'll tell you what breaks more newspapermen's hearts than people who won't talk — and that is typewriters that won't work.

In war or peace it is typewriters I hate typewriters. I don't suppose anybody in the whole world hates typewriters more than I do — or for more reasons.

The public thinks all a newspaperman has to do is to learn what has happened, and then tell it. That is really all he does have to do. But to get the news back home where they can print it he has to use a typewriter, a telephone or a cable.

If any war reporter or foreign correspondent told the full story of the heartbreaks that had come to him through his faith in the telephone, cable, or wireless — well! I don't think any honest newspaper reader or radio listener could stand the strain on his sympathy. He would have to break down and weep out of general good will.

After all, in wartime they don't assign chaplains to the newspaper corps — but they probably will the next time.

There was the period in Normandy in 1944 when news sent by the usual means just seemed to make an echo and get nowhere.

So in desperation some U. S. Signal Corps pigeons, quickly tested for carrying power rather than royalty were freighted with news bulletins and picture negatives and thrown in the general direction of London and New York.

You know where the ring-necked pigeons showed up? In Berlin. The German newspapers had a field day printing the Allied news bulletins and photographs.

That must be why the official feed ration of army messenger pigeons recently was listed as "secret." Probably in 1944 some spy was slipping sauerkraut to them on the sly, and naturally when they were turned loose they winged toward Germany and Major Morrison stayed in Little Rock several days fearful of bodily harm along the trail. He finally returned to the States.

By breaking, diskling and fallowing the land now through August one will have a much higher soil moisture content at planting time the first week in September. Early September is a must where early fall grazing is expected. The oat seed supply is very ample at this time and should be secured for a minimum four bushels per acre seeding.

In planting crops for forage, feed and food adequate fertilization should be provided. Now is a good time to take soil samples for complete analysis in the Soil Testing Laboratory.

Now, never mind that pigeon and its refueling problem, which, so far as I know, is still officially a featured mystery let's get back to typewriters.

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SOCIETY

Phone 7-3301 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Calendar

Saturday, July 11

Arch Moore Ellington and Don Duffie will honor Joseph Leon Marindale with a "Bachelor Round-up." Saturday night, July 11, at the home of Don Duffie. Supper will be served at 7:30.

Miss Caroline Hawthorne will host Miss Mary Murphy, bride-elect of Joseph Marindale, with an informal evening party Saturday night.

Tuckie Hall will honor Charlotte Doyle, bride-elect of Clark Jacobsen with a miscellaneous shower Saturday night, July 11, at 7:30.

Monday, July 13
The CVP of the First Christian Church will meet at the church Monday, July 13, at 8:30.

Miss Catherine Cox will compliment Miss Betty Murphy, bride-elect of Joseph Marindale, with abridge luncheon at her home in Fulton Monday, July 13.

The Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church will meet at the church at 7:45 Monday night, July 13, with Mrs. Thelma Moore in charge.

Tuesday, July 14
Home Country Club will have its monthly dance Tuesday night, July 14, at 8 o'clock. It was scheduled for a square dance but will be a ballroom dance. Hosts and hostesses are Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMurtry and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moore.

Thursday, July 16

Miss Mary Lou Moore will honor Miss Hatty Murphy, bride-elect of Joseph Marindale, with a breakfast at the Hotel Burlow Thursday, July 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Trapp, Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Henley, Mr. and Mrs. John Braund, and A. D. Bryan will entertain members of the Murphy-Marindale wedding party with a rehearsal dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bryan on Thursday, July 16.

The Union meeting of the WBCB of the Methodist Church will be held Monday, July 16, at 8 p.m. Mrs. C. V. Nunn will present the program on "Youth in Christian Fellowship." Those taking part will be Alister Sims Lasterback, Ruth Brinkers and Judy Hammontree. Miss Bonnie Jean Edmiston will give the devotional.

FRENGER

LAST DAY

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Congressmen

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Russian Premier Georgi Malenkov was "consolidating his power." The facts "told pretty clearly" to Malenkov as the chief beneficiary of the move, he said. He believed the policy pursued was trying to build a American regime in Stalin.

Gen. Pat McCarrahan, D-Nev., said, "If that be true, the new interior of the enemy is rapidly deteriorating. That reminds me of an old adage, 'when thieves fall out, honest men will get their chance.'"

Following breakfast Wanzerle, Sr., president, called the meeting in order and the group repeated in unison their watchword and slogan, "Mary Lee Cornelius led in prayer. The educational program, "Lifting the Lid," was led by Betty Owen. Others taking part were Jo Ann Eschinger and Jackie Burroughs.

Those present were: Wanzerle, Sr., Betty Owen, Mary Lee Cornelius, Betty Sue Cornelius, Janette Barr, Je Ann Eschinger, Frances Burroughs, Jane Burroughs and Mrs. B. A. White.

Coming and Going

Mrs. John W. Ellis left Friday for Columbus, Ga., to spend the remainder of the time with her husband, Dr. Ellis, who is taking an Army Extension Course at Ft. Benning, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. "Son" Jones came to their home in Dallas Friday after a visit in Hope.

Clubs

Blover Springs

The Blover Springs Home Demonstration club met on the lawn of the home of Mrs. Delmar Irvin Wednesday, July 1.

The club meeting was repeated, followed by the song, "Bixby." Members gave the devotional and the group said the Lord's Prayer. Their members answered roll call, also three visitors, Mrs. Floyd Elmer, Mrs. Earl Fletcher, and Mrs. Bryan Ruggles and 15 children were present.

The club voted to have an ice cream social Friday night, August 23, at the club house. All families who have freezers will bring ice cream, and those who do not are asked to bring a cake. Reports of leaders were given by Mrs. Troy Greenlee on landkeeping and Mrs. Irvin on poultry.

Interesting names were led by Mrs. George Walden. Refreshments of cake and cold drinks were served by the hosts assisted by Mrs. Greenlee on hostess.

Centerville

Mrs. J. C. Allen was hostess to the Centerville Home Demonstration club Wednesday, June 24, in her home with Mrs. Sid Skinner as co-hostess.

Mrs. Dorothy White gave the devotional with prayer by Mrs. Skinner. Following the roll call, the club was dismissed.

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McCarthy Has First Sound Beating

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON: Sen. McCarthy of Wisconsin took a beating in the case of J. E. Matthews, the man he tried to discredit almost from the moment he became senator.

Sen. Pat McCarrahan, D-Nev., said, "If that be true, the new interior of the enemy is rapidly deteriorating. That reminds me of an old adage, 'when thieves fall out, honest men will get their chance.'

Other congressional reaction:

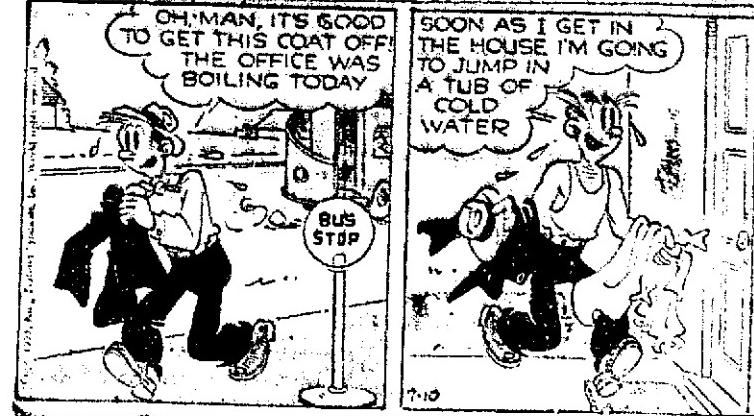
Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey, D-Minn., "It only underscores the American's 'star-spangled American' and an outstanding authority" on the Senate.

Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich.,

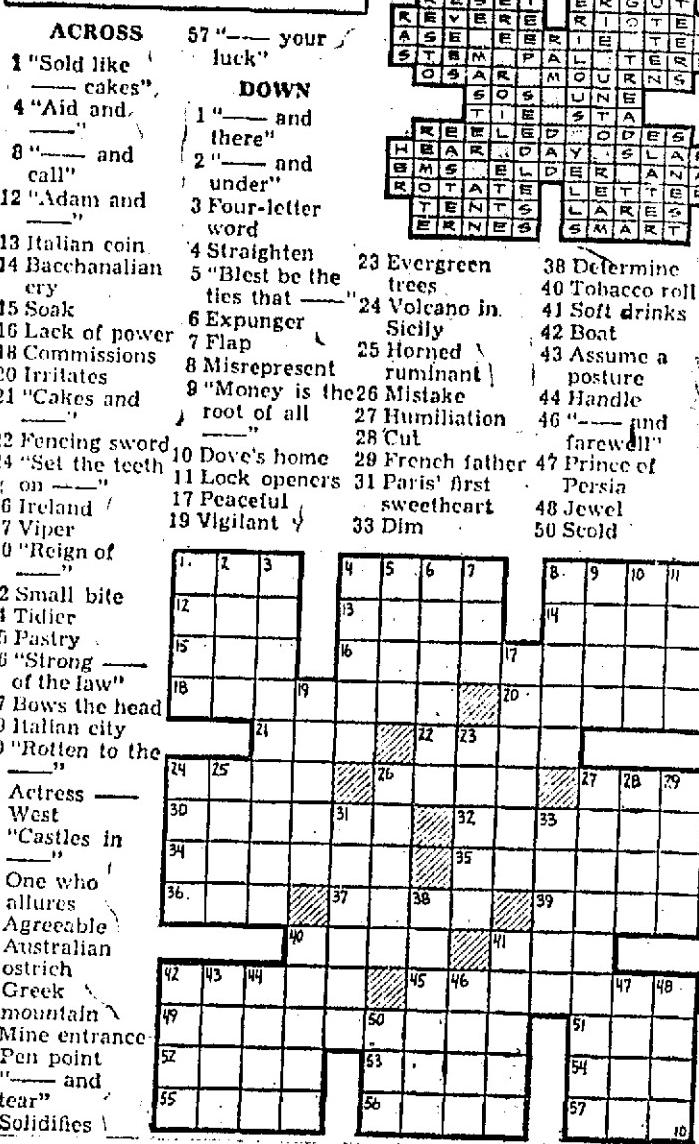
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BLONDIE

By Chick Young

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By J. R. Williams

**OUR BOARDING HOUSE****With Major Hoople**

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner

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By Galbraith

**FUNNY BUSINESS**

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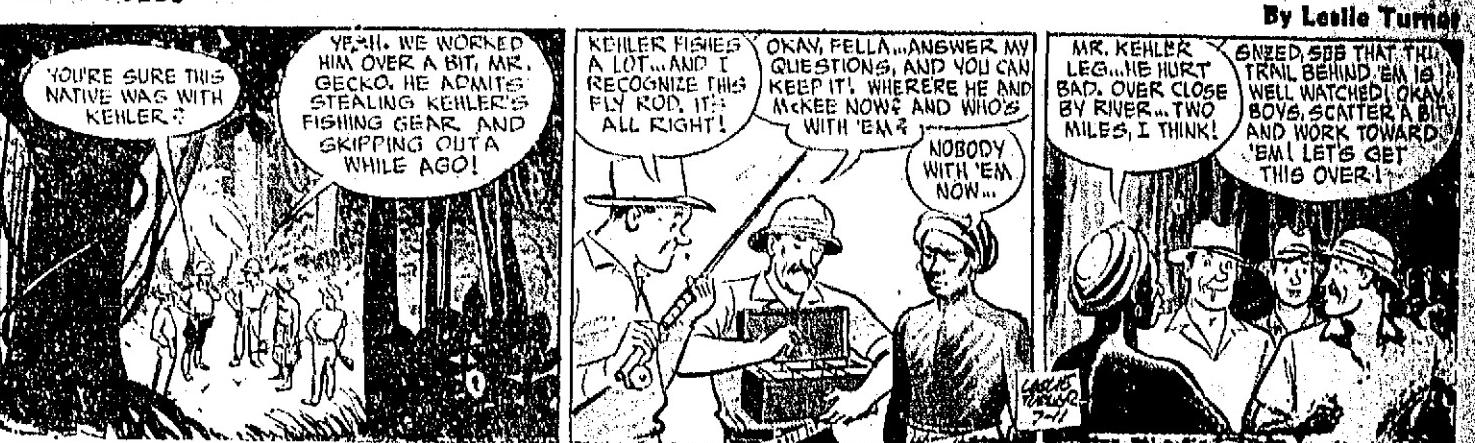
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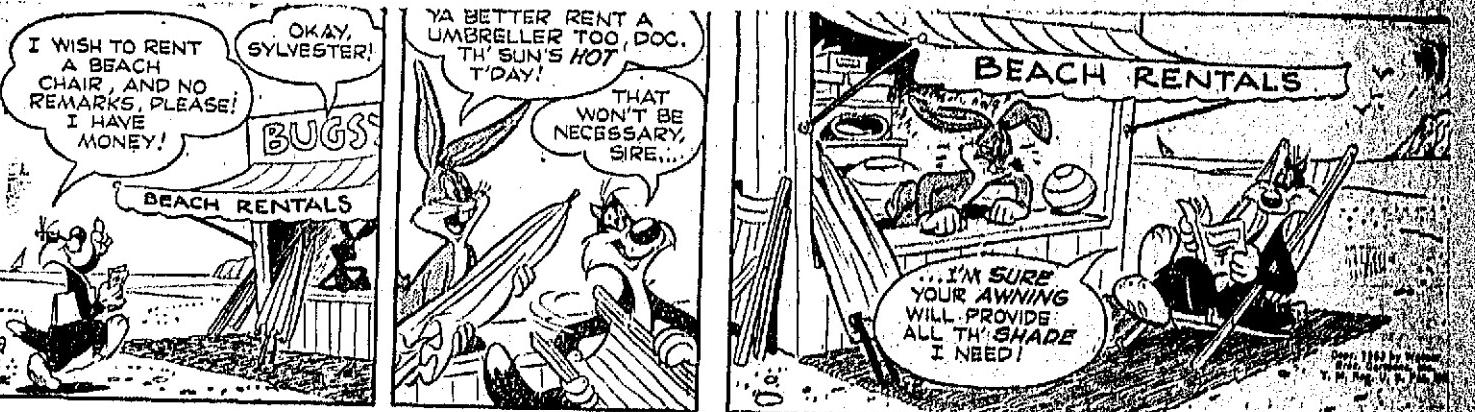
By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lenz

**WASH TUBBS**

By Leslie Turner

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